

NEW TO ALDERWOOD?

→For Our Guests

- We're glad you are here! Stop by the Information Counter and pick up a **Guest Gift Bag**...includes a gift certificate for a beverage of your choice at the espresso stand in our lobby.
- Please fill out a Communication Card located in the chair pocket in front of you and place it in the offering plate later in the service, or drop it off at the Info Counter in the lobby.
- You are welcome to take one of the Bibles under the chairs as a gift from us.
- We offer a supervised and secure nursery, a preschool aged program, and classes for adults and kids of all ages.
- If your child(ren) become fussy during the worship service, feel free to take them to our Cry Room located in the East Hallway. The service will be on a TV monitor.
- If you need prayer, please come forward at the end of the service. We will have prayer team members there ready to pray with you.

→New Believer Packet

For anyone who has recently placed their faith in Jesus, we have a special gift bag for you (or someone you know) at the *Life Groups* Counter.

→Our Mission Statement

To live and lead others to live as everyday followers of Jesus.

→Website

A wealth of useful information for newcomers and regular attendees is located on our church website, alderwood.cc which is updated on a regular basis with upcoming events, and sermons available on audio and video.

Large print editions of this bulletin are available on the usher's table at the back of the auditorium.



Want to get better connected and learn more about Alderwood? Join us on **The City**. **The City** is an online network that is group-oriented and all about helping our attendees to stay engaged regularly as a church family. In **The City** you can set up a profile, use it as an online church directory, communicate with your service ministry, and much more. To sign up for **The City**, or for more information, visit the *Life Groups* counter today. **The City**...Where Church and Life Connect.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Sanctity of Life Focus
PRC - Andrew Woodyard

Message Brad McConnaughey

We extend to you an invitation to come to the front of the auditorium following the service and talk with a prayer team member if you have questions of a spiritual nature.

SERMON OUTLINE

For electronic users:
What is this? Scan this QR Code with your tablet and download today's sermon outline. Don't have a QR Code reader? Search for "QR Code Reader" in your app store.



→Giving Update

1/15/17 Attendance	1,322
Last Week's Giving	\$42,397
Needed Weekly	\$58,365
Received Fiscal Year to Date	\$1,321,240
Needed Fiscal Year to Date	\$1,167,308

→Missions Giving

Last Week's Giving	\$4,081
Needed Weekly	\$6,365
Received Fiscal Year to Date	\$184,956
Needed Fiscal Year to Date	\$127,308

(Fiscal Year: Sept. 2016 thru Aug. 2017)

SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE SUNDAY

"Nothing is Impossible"

Luke 1:37 "For nothing will be impossible with God" (ESV). Randi came to the PRC a year ago in an impossible situation. She was confused, anxious, and uncertain about her unplanned pregnancy. Just a teenager, Randi was told by her boyfriend and her boyfriend's mother to get an abortion. She didn't know what to do. Lindsay, Pregnancy Resource Center's volunteer Client Advocate, met with Randi for her pregnancy test appointment. Lindsay could tell that she was very upset; her head was spinning as she agonized over the decision.

As they talked together, Lindsay walked Randi through a decision guide, a tool to help her weigh the pros and cons that will lead to an informed decision. After working through the decision guide, Randi gained the courage that day to choose life for her baby. So much courage, in fact, that she took a blank decision guide home for her boyfriend to fill out. Two weeks ago Lindsay got an email from Randi sharing that in October she gave birth to a 6 lbs. 4 oz. baby girl. She wrote, "I would absolutely do it again and I'm so in love with my little girl. If it wasn't for you I may not have kept her and I 100% know in my heart I made the right choice. Thank you so much for helping me make the right decision."

Time and time again, women like Randi say something similar, "Thank you so much. I don't know what I would have done without you." Young women come to the PRC feeling that they are in an impossible situation, but with God nothing is impossible.

The services the PRC provide include pregnancy tests and options counseling, limited OB ultrasounds, Baby Boutique with baby clothes, diapers and more, Birth & Baby Classes, pre-natal and post-partum workshops, New Moms Support Group, and Love and Logic Parenting Classes. All these services are offered at no cost to the women because of your prayers and support! On this **Sanctity of Human Life Sunday**, the PRC is asking each ACC family to take a baby bottle home. Fill the bottle with coins, cash, or checks (made out to PRC), and bring the bottle back by February 19th. Last year over \$16,000 was raised. How about \$20,000 this year?!

Nothing is impossible!



ALDERWOOD 
community church

JANUARY 22, 2017

Email: ReachUs@amcc.org
Fax: 425.640.3622
ACR Counseling: 425.670.0412

Sunday worship: 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30am

Worship recordings and assistive listening devices are available at the Information Counter. Information kiosks are located at all entrances and in the lobby.

Church office hours
Mon-Thurs 8:30-4:30 and Friday 8:30-3:30

Free WiFi: AlderwoodFamily
Password: genesis1:1

E-Giving available through our website

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alderwood.cc

INFO & NEWS

→Silver and Gold

Senior adults! Plan to join us THIS TUESDAY, **January 24th**, noon to 2pm in the Manor. Andrew Woodyard with Pregnancy Resource Center will be our speaker, and Chris Taylor will give us an update on Marysville Community Church. Bring a food item for our lunch buffet and enjoy friends and a special program.



→Look Before You Leap

Is the Lord nudging you to serve? Do you have a heart for people? Have you considered the possibility of leading a *Life Group*? **Look Before You Leap** is a no-obligation opportunity to check out leading a *Life Group* at ACC. Come hear the vision. We'll dispel common myths and try to answer all your questions. Next Sunday, **January 29th**, 10am in E100. Contact Julie.Marshall@amcc.org to reserve a spot.

→One Village Transformed

Mayen Village update: In partnership with World Concern, Alderwood has decided to extend our support of Mayen Village in South Sudan for another two years. On Sunday, **January 29th**, Harun Matuma, World Concern South Sudan Country Director, will be with us with an update on the great work God is doing in Mayen. We will also update on how to continue, or start up, support for OVT.

Daily Bible Reading

	READINGS	PSALMS OF PRAYER
1/22	Exodus 16-18	Psalm 22
1/23	Exodus 19-21	Psalm 23
1/24	Exodus 22-24	Psalm 24
1/25	Exodus 25-27	Psalm 25
1/26	Exodus 28-29	Psalm 26
1/27	Exodus 30-31	Psalm 27
1/28	Exodus 32-34	Psalm 28
1/29	Exodus 35-40 (skim)	Psalm 29

→Charitable Contributions

Please wait to file your federal income tax return until you receive your contribution statement from the church. You may not be able to deduct certain contributions if you file beforehand. Statements will be mailed by January 31st.

→GriefShare

Find comfort and care to help you heal from the death of a loved one. Each session includes a video seminar and group discussion where you'll have the opportunity to interact with others who have experienced loss. GriefShare's 14-week seminar meets Thursday evenings from 6:30-8:30pm in E106...**the next session begins February 9th**. Questions? Contact Moira at 425.239.3485 or theschettlerbunch@msn.com.

→Coffee Connection

Sunday, February 12th, at 11:15am

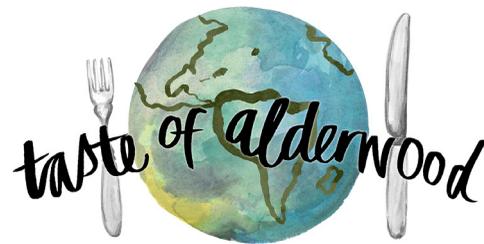
An opportunity to connect with a pastor over a cup of coffee. Come personally meet some of our pastoral staff and learn more about Alderwood Community Church...plus a tour of the building! Held after second service in E100.

→College Retreat

alderwood.cc/acm

March 3rd-5th

Registration for our annual college retreat will begin soon! Make sure to put it on your calendar and set aside \$95 for a weekend away in Leavenworth! Everyone who is college age is welcome to attend! Contact Lisa.Pence@amcc.org with any questions.



EVERY TRIBE. EVERY TONGUE.

→Taste of Alderwood Event

March 10th and 11th...Mark your calendars now and plan to attend one of **THREE** events. Friday at 6pm OR Saturday at 11am OR Saturday at 6pm! **NO TICKETS NEEDED THIS YEAR!**

WOMEN

→Uplifters

ACC's cancer support group for women that have been diagnosed with cancer recently, or are in treatment or remission. Join us on **January 26th** in E106 at noon...come, bring a brown bag lunch and enjoy a delightful time of fellowship and encouragement from the Word. No need to RSVP, but if you have questions regarding this group, email Nancy Kenner at nancyk43@juno.com.

→IF: Alderwood Event

February 3 & 4

Friday Evening and Saturday 9am-4pm

A live stream event in partnership with IF:Gathering which exists to gather, equip, and unleash women to live out their calling in their communities. The theme this year examines the way God moved through the early church in a pure, simple way. May He move in such ways in our own lives, doing big things through simple acts of faith. **Visit our table in the West Hallway today!** Register online at: register.ifgathering.com/event/ifalderwood



→Women's Retreat

alderwood.cc/rest

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Join us at Cedar Springs (located in Sumas, WA) **February 17-19** to hear Debbie Stuart teach us how to **Rest in Flight**. Our focus will be connecting deeply with Christ in the midst of our busy daily lives. Cost will be \$175-185 and includes meals (Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner; Sunday breakfast and lunch). **SIGN UP ONLINE** or visit our table in the West Hallway. If you would like to request a partial scholarship, please email Lisa.Schmidt@amcc.org.

MEN

→A Man And His Fatherhood

HOW ABOUT A FATHERHOOD TUNE-UP?!

A new six-week Men's Seminar being offered on Wednesday evenings.

- Meeting Wednesdays, 2/1 thru 3/8, 7:00-8:15pm
- **Sign-ups and handbooks available in the West Hallway today** and next Sunday
- This is seminar #6 in our three-year offering of Authentic Manhood/33 The Series
- Each session includes an engaging 30-minute multi-media video followed by table-group discussion. Session titles are—*Foundation, Grace-Based, True Greatness, Sons, Daughters, and Decisions*. Special guest features with Tim Kimmel, Stephen Douglas, David Thomas, and Meg Meeker!
- Hosted by Pastor Tim with table leaders Hugh Riley, Rich Metcalfe, Jack Randall, Ron Lambert, Fil Sankey, and Kirk Anderson

→Men's B.C. Adventure

September 28-October 1, 2017

Full information in the West Hallway today after all services.

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- World-class facilities and scenery in the wilds of "Super-Natural" British Columbia!
- Great recreation on land & water—plus new **HUGE** forest swing and **GIANT** water-exit rope swing!
- Nationally acclaimed men's speaker and author, Brian Goins! "*Brian Goins speaks a man's language and knows how to move a man's heart.*"—Dennis Rainey, president, Family Life.
- Registration open now! No price increase this year—Get it all for \$300!

CHILDREN

alderwood.cc/kids

→Kidmin Tours

2/26 at 8am, 2/28 at 2:15pm, 3/1 at 5:30pm

Come join us for a brief tour of our remodeled Kidmin spaces. We will begin near the preschool rooms and tour through each room. We would love to have you take a peek at these beautiful, new kid spaces. All ages are invited...no RSVP needed. Email questions to Lisa.Davis@amcc.org.

→Elevated Sportz Family event

March 3rd, 6-8pm

This event is open to all ACC kidz and their families and friends... Trampoline play \$10 per person (ages: 3 years+) Kidz Play space \$5 per person (ages: walking to 3 years). Maximum amount per family \$40. 4th and 5th grade kids can be dropped off. Online ticket sales will open soon. Hope to see you there!

FEBRUARY 26 Life Together Sunday

Our quarterly Life Together Sunday services include baptisms, communion, baby dedications, and recognition of new members during all three service times: 8:30, 10:00, and 11:30am. If you would like to be baptized or participate in a dedication for your child, please stop at the *Life Groups* Counter to pick up an information packet, or you may contact Lois.Harless@amcc.org to have an **electronic copy emailed to you**.

STUDENTS

alderwood.cc/students

→ASM Middle School, 6-8 grade

- Sunday Worship at 10am in the Storm Cellar.
- Wednesday nights, 6:30-8:30pm in the Storm Cellar.
- **WINTER CAMP**, January 27-29. Mark your calendars now for Winter Camp at Ghormley Meadow. **LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP!**

→ASM High School, 9-12 grade

- Sunday Worship at 10am in the Manor.
- Wednesday nights, 6:30-8:30pm in the Manor.
- **Albania Info Meeting** – An incredible opportunity to participate in international missions with ACC missionaries as they reach the youth of Albania. If you're interested in participating this summer, please plan to come to the Information meeting on Sunday, **January 22nd** at 8:30am in the Manor. Parents and students should both plan to attend.
- **WINTER CAMP, February 10-12**. Mark your calendars now for Winter Camp at Tall Timber. **REGISTER ONLINE NOW!**

